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**COMMUNICATION OF 23 MARCH 1995 RECEIVED
FROM THE PERMANENT MISSION OF UKRAINE
TO THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY**

1. The Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency has received a note verbale of 23 March 1995 from the Permanent Mission of Ukraine providing information on the nuclear export policies and practices of the Government of Ukraine.
2. In light of the request expressed in the note verbale, the text of the note verbale is attached hereto.

**TEXT OF NOTE VERBALE OF 23 MARCH 1995
FROM THE PERMANENT MISSION OF UKRAINE**

The Permanent Mission of Ukraine to the International Organisations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the International Atomic Energy Agency and has the honour to provide information on its Government's nuclear export policies and practices.

The Government of Ukraine will act in accordance with the Guidelines for Nuclear Transfers set out in document INFCIRC/254.

The Government of Ukraine, when considering the export items listed in Annexes A and B of document INFCIRC/254/Rev.1/Part 1, will permit such export only if the receiving non-nuclear-weapon State has brought into force an agreement with the IAEA requiring the application of safeguards to all source and special fissionable material in its current and future peaceful activities. In deciding on the export of dual-use nuclear material, equipment, and related technologies, the Government of Ukraine will be guided by the provisions of document INFCIRC/254/Rev.1/Part. 2.

In reaching this decision, the Government of the Ukraine is fully aware of the need to contribute to economic development while avoiding contribution in any way to the dangers of the proliferation of nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices, and of the need to remove non-proliferation assurances from the field of commercial competition.

The Government of the Ukraine requests the Secretariat to circulate the text of this Note to Member States for their information and as a demonstration of support by the Ukrainian Government for the Agency's non-proliferation objectives and safeguards activities.

The Permanent Mission of Ukraine avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the IAEA Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.